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INTELLIGENCE MEMORANDUM

The Indonesian Situation
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1.

As reported by the army newspaper in Djakarta, 27 organizations participated in a demonstration on 4 October which demanded the dissolution of the Communist Party.

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2. The large Moslem party, Nahdatul Ulama, and eight affiliated Moslem organizations on 5 October issued a second declaration accusing Communist front organizations of complicity in the 30 September movement and the deaths of the six generals. It resolved to appeal to the president to ban the Communist party, its front organizations and press. It asked all Moslems and all other revolutionary forces to give their fullest assistance to the armed forces and to President Sukarno toward settling the 30 September affair and normalizing its consequences.

3. Radio Djakarta has announced that 300 Communist supporters have been "rounded up" by religious and army groups.

4. First Deputy Prime Minister and Foreign Minister Subandrio made his first public appearance since the coup and counter coup when he attended the funeral of the six generals on 5 October.

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6. There has been no announcement on the status of the Anti-Foreign Military Bases conference scheduled to be held in Djakarta from 10 to 15 October. Sponsored by the Indonesian Peace Committee, a Communist-front organization, conference preparations had been receiving major assistance from the Indonesian foreign office. It seems likely that the army will discourage the affair.

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